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SUBJECT: CSCE COMMISSION QUESTIONNAIRE FOR JOURNALISTS

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1. SINCE THERE ARE NO RESIDENT AMERICAN JOURNALISTS IN PRAGUE WE HAVE NO POTENTIAL RECIPIENTS FOR CONGRESSIONAL COMMISSION ON SECURITY AND COOPERATION IN EUROPE QUESTIONNAIRE.
2. ALTHOUGH WE HAVE EXPERIENCED DIFFICULTIES WITH THE GOC ON ADMITTING WESTERN JOURNALISTS, IF THE QUESTIONNAIRES ARE DISTRIBUTED TO MURRAY SEEGER AND MIKE GETLER IN BONN, MALCOLM BROWNE IN BELGRADE, LESLIE COLLITT IN BERLIN, AND PAUL HOFFMAN IN VIENNA, THEIR EXPERIENCES IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA CAN BE COVERED AS PART OF THEIR REGULAR ANSWERS.
3. WE DO NOT INTEND TO DISTRIBUTE THE QUESTIONNAIRE TO THE LOCAL REUTERS CORRESPONDENT, A BELGIAN CITIZEN, NOR THE AFP

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CORRESPONDENT, A FRENCHMAN. WE SHARE MOSCOW'S VIEW (REFTEL) AND, IN VIEW OF CZECHOSLOVAK SENSITIVITIES ABOUT THE CONGRESSIONAL COMMISSION, DO NOT THINK IT WOULD BE APPROPRIATE. PRESUMABLY, OTHER WESTERN GOVERNMENTS WILL BE SOLICITING INFORMATION SUCH AS THAT ASKED FOR IN THE QUESTIONNAIRE FROM THEIR OWN NEWS AGENCIES.
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